

**ERRATA.**—In our last paper, in the proceedings of the meeting at Calvary Church, an error occurred which was not corrected till more than half the edition was printed. Our readers will have it corrected by reading CLARENDO, wherever the word Camden occurs, in the preamble.

We are authorized by the friends of Col. JOHN P. RICHARDSON, to announce him as a candidate for Congress from this Congressional District.

**NOTICE.**—The Rev. Samuel W. Capers will preach in the Baptist Church to-morrow morning at the usual hour.

## HON. JOHN P. RICHARDSON.

We inserted last week, at the request of a respected friend, a nomination of this gentleman, to supply the vacancy in Congress, occasioned by the death of the lamented Col. MASON. We have this week, received another article from the same source, recommending him in strong terms to the people of this Congressional District for their support. We heartily concur with the writer in all he says on the subject, but question the propriety of saying any thing about by-gone days, unless circumstances should render it necessary, which at present we do not think is the case.

We give the concluding remarks of our correspondent, which we have no doubt will meet a hearty response, from a large majority of the voters of this Congressional District.

"A suitable person must be selected, to fill the vacancy, caused by the death of our dear MASON; and if Mr. Richardson can be induced to offer, his inflexible integrity can be relied on with unbounded confidence, and his talents will do honor to the selection."

A correspondent over the signature of "WATERBURY" requests us to nominate an old and respectable citizen, whom he names, as a candidate for the Legislature. We cannot comply with his request, without departing from a rule which we have adopted in relation to such matters, which is, not to publish any nomination, without the consent of the party nominated, or authority to do so from some responsible person known to us. As the present request comes to us anonymously, the writer will excuse us, or give us his name.

The above remarks are equally applicable also to a correspondent over the signature of "MANY GOOD AND TRUE MEN," who nominates an entire ticket for the Senate and House of Representatives. The gentlemen nominated are perfectly unexceptionable, and we should be pleased to see them elected, but we again say that we will make no nomination at the suggestion of anonymous correspondents. If the writer will give us his name we will cheerfully give a place to his communication.

## DINNER TO THE VOLUNTEERS.

On Saturday last, the citizens of this District gave a Dinner to the Kershaw Volunteers, to which was invited the Volunteers from different parts of the State; there were however few other volunteers present, than those from Kershaw. The only officers from other Districts were Capt. B. T. ELMORE of the Richland, and Lieutenant SECRETER of Lancaster Volunteers.

Between 2 and 3 o'clock, the Citizens and Volunteers assembled at the Court House, and marched in procession to the place of entertainment. The table was supplied with an abundance of just such materials as met the wants of the numerous company which sat down, if we may be allowed to judge from our own appetite, and from the dexterity in the use of the knife and fork displayed by our surrounding neighbors. Indeed, we need only say that Major KERRIS, of the Sumter Hotel, was the caterer on this occasion, to give an idea to those who know his qualifications in this particular, of the bounteous profusion and excellency with which the entertainment was furnished. Gen. J. W. CASTLE presided as President; assisted by THOS. SALMOND, Esq. as Vice President.

The following are the toasts drunk on the occasion:

## REGULAR TOASTS.

1. *The Status of the Union.*—It is only the ignorant or the reckless who would invade their individual sovereignty and constitutional rights. Be it ever remembered, that it is easier to destroy than to create a wise, constitutional federal republic.

2. *The Abolitionists.*—The atrocious marplots of the Union. Let the wise, the sober and discreet urge their Legislatures in the infected States, to bridle the ferocious bigotry and rampant fanaticism of Abolition.

3. *Captain CHESNEY, his officers and corps in the late Seminole Campaign.*—Their was the patriotism of prompt action, fearless exposure to unusual hazard and hardship, in the cheerful discharge of the duties of citizen soldiers. On their return we tender to them the patriots best reward—Warm, heartfelt public approbation.

When the applause with which this toast was received, had ceased, Capt. CHESNEY rose and addressed the assembly at some length, in a most eloquent and felicitous manner. It was one of those spontaneous efforts, which every one could see came from the heart, and it consequently could not fail to be felt. He concluded by offering the following sentiment:

*The Citizens of the District.*—Liberal, enlightened and patriotic. The "Kershaw Volunteers" know their worth, and will ever remember their kindness.

4. *The left wing of the Army of Florida.*—If the blood of Carolina has not enriched the soil, it has been freely periled to protect the hearth stones, of Florida.

5. *The Governor of our State.*—Endowed with splendid talents. Regulated all his actions by a spirit of pure and ardent patriotism, and the dictates of a single heart. We admire—We honor him.

6. *The South Carolina College, and the Society for the advancement of Learning.*—We rejoice that the fountains of knowledge are full. None are more worthy to be adorned with learning than the free and the brave. Success to both institutions!

7. *Southern Interests and Southern Rights.*—Not

inconsistent with any other Interests and Rights. When ours are fully invaded, by the blessing of God we will lend a hand promptly and vigorously, to repel the trespass.

8. *State holders.*—Among whom else, now and at all times, has political liberty, bright and pure, so much delighted to dwell? Whence has she summoned more prompt defenders, stouter hearts, keener swords, clearer heads and more eloquent tongues?

9. *The Charleston and Cincinnati Rail Road.*—Hail to the bright era, just dawning upon us, when the intellect and wealth of South Carolina are devoted to the erection of so magnificent and enduring a monument to civilization. Let posterity know us by this noble achievement in the arts of peace.

10. *The memory of the Hon. RICHARD I. MASON.*

This toast was drunk standing, and in silence.

11. *The Heroes and Statesmen of our Revolution.* The strength of their aims and the wisdom of their counsels secured our Independence. May their Sons never prove recreant to the spirit of their Fathers.

12. *Debates upon order in the House of Washington.*—The family are disgracefully quarrelsome. The country "pays too dear for the whistle."

13. *The Fair Sex.*

By the President, Gen. J. W. CASTLE.—*Perse M. Butler.*—His sound intellect, his genuine Southern Chivalry, his military talents, and his undimmed devotion to South Carolina, eminently qualify him to wear the sword with honor and with usefulness.

BY THE COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.

*Capt. B. T. Elmore, and the Richland Volunteers.*—Florida is a lasting token of the high merit of the one, and the bravery of the other.

On the announcement of this toast, Capt. Elmore rose and expressed his thanks, in a few feeling and eloquent remarks, for the cordial manner in which the sentiment had been received, and concluded by offering the following toast.

*Kershaw.*—Public spirited and patriotic. She receives back to her bosom, with honor and affection, those sons, who have so nobly and gallantly sustained her honor, and elevated her character, on the plains of Florida.

*The Fairfield Volunteers.*—Their country called—they answered in its motto, "READY, AYE, READY," and acted up to its spirit.

*The Lancaster Volunteers.*—A fine corps, that well represented its District. We hail them as fit associates of our own corps, and as having honored well the lessons of their own revolutionary history.

Capt. SECRETER, responded to this sentiment by thanking the company for the compliment paid to the Lancaster troop, which he had the honor to command on their return march. It reminded him of their kindness and hospitality when they passed through our town on their way to Florida. He concluded by offering the following toast.

*The citizens of Camden.*—Hospitable, kind, Generous—Long may they live to enjoy peace, happiness and prosperity.

*The Sumter Volunteers.*—They needed only to be tried to show that they came from the neighborhood of the "Old Game Cock."

Col. P. M. BUTLER. His generous self devotion and gallant bearing in the Florida Campaign, prove him to be the worthy son, of a worthy sire. Col. BUTLER not being present, the President read a letter from that gentleman, regretting his inability to "participate in the festivities of the occasion," and annexing the following toast.

*The Matrons of the Kershaw Volunteers.*—Well may the District boast of such mothers—well may such mothers be proud of such sons.

## VOLUNTEER TOASTS.

By Capt. B. T. ELMORE.—Col. Robert H. Goodwyn of the South Carolina Mounted Regiment—A brave and gallant officer, and a patriotic citizen; in the field of the Senate, he reflects honor upon his State.

By Lieut. B. BOYKIN.—Major Simpson. A gallant and efficient officer, and an accomplished gentleman.

By Dr. J. H. BROWN (of Lancaster).—*Capt. CHESNEY.*—The undeviating friend of his country, distinguished alike for his intellectual and moral worth.

By Dr. M. HOLBROOK.—*The South Carolina Volunteers to Florida.*—The alacrity with which they marched to relieve their distressed neighbors, commands the respect and esteem of all their fellow citizens.

By Lieut. J. J. MICKLE.—*The citizens of Kershaw District.* Their high minded liberality to the Volunteers, demands their lasting gratitude.

By Dr. M. HOLBROOK.—*Freedom of the Press.* The strongest shield in the whole armour of rational liberty.

By Dr. J. H. BROWN.—*South Carolina.* Not less honorably represented in the Florida Campaign, from the State of Alabama, than by her own citizens.

By Gen. J. W. CASTLE. Lieut. HEMPHILL, and his patriotic companions from Sumter, in Captain Elmore's company.

When this toast was drunk, Mr. COCKE, one of the corps complimented, being present, was called for, when he rose and addressed the company for about twenty minutes. We have no room for an abstract of his remarks, he animadverted however, sharply on Gen. Scott's letter to the war department, in which he says "3000 good troops (not volunteers)" will be necessary for future operations in Florida, and charged him with "having prevaricated and shuffled when called on to explain the meaning of his language." Gen. GAINES seemed too, to be not more popular with the speaker than Gen. Scott. In conclusion, he said, "I propose the health of one, gentlemen, who is to me, personally, a stranger."

Gen. CLINCH. A United States General, who discharged his duty in the Florida service, in the faith and spirit of an officer. A high evidence of his merits, is the refusal of the President to accept his resignation.

By Capt. JOHN CHESNEY.—Gen. Winfield Scott.

The soldiers friend, a brave and able officer, an honorable and high minded man.

The President read a letter from F. L. KENNEDY, Esq. who had been invited to attend, but prevented from doing so. The letter contained the following sentiment.

Capt. (Col) JOHN CHESNEY, and the Kershaw Volunteers.—Such an officer and such men, could not do otherwise than distinguish themselves as the bravest of the brave.

By C. J. SHANNON, Esq.—*The Memory of Gen. Zachariah Cantey.* His private virtues and public services will ever be held in grateful remembrance, by the citizens of Kershaw District.

By Mr. MATHEWS.—*The Creek and the Seminole.* May they soon be made as quiet and harmless as the Indian upon the Camden Market House.

## Communications.

For the Camden Journal.

Mr. EDITOR.—In a communication signed "Many Voters," it appears that I have been nominated as a candidate to represent the District at the next election. With due respect, I must beg leave (through the Journal,) to decline being so considered.

J. C. DOBY.

For the Camden Journal.

## THE CAMDEN ACADEMY.

From the remarks of Curator, in the last Journal, reasonable assurance has been offered for the propriety of the present teacher's election. The committee, appointed by the Orphan Society, to make the nomination of the most suitable candidate, after diligent inquiry, frequent correspondence, and public advertisements, considered Dr. Holbrook, of the numerous applicants, the individual best qualified for the office, and most likely to give general satisfaction. From the character of the gentlemen composing that committee, it must be obvious, that they could have had no motive for their recommendation, and the society no object in confirming it, other than the fulfilment, to the best of their ability, of a responsible trust; and the attainment of a public benefit. It was the desire of both parties, to secure the services of a teacher the best accredited and most approved. Under those circumstances, the one selected enters upon the duties of his appointment. Is it not reasonable that he should claim the fulfilment of a moral pledge implied in his election; and receive that encouragement, which a gentleman of letters and worth, should expect from a truly liberal and enlightened community? Camden has not been more justly famed for the social virtues, than the noble public spirit of its citizens' character. Can they be indifferent to the momentous subject of their children's education? Is it not of vital consequence to the public welfare? Will they feel no becoming solicitude to raise the standard of instruction, to afford the rising generation the best lights of the best systems of moral and mental improvement; and to give to society a commanding intellectual character? Now, how can this patriotic feeling be manifested, unless the public Academy is patronized and cherished? Its teacher, no doubt, will be highly gratified with the occasional visits of his friends and patrons, at the ordinary recitations of the classes; and, in due time, will offer a general invitation to the public examination of the school.

The fact should not be disguised, that there can be but one large classical Academy in Camden. If any number of citizens desire the private instruction of their children, in a select school, no one has the right to object. But, then, the persons in question, should expect to pay a proportionately increased expense. The resources of public patronage should not be diverted for private benefit, from the public school. And the reason is obvious.—A division of numerical strength, would be fatal to the interests of the body divided. On the other hand, the concentration of public support will have the direct influence to give celebrity to the Academy. The youths of the District, who are for the purpose of education, now sent far from home, might thus be placed in our community. Families of wealth and respectability might be induced, from this prominent advantage, to make a permanent residence in our sandhills, or town; and thus by an increase of population, a new impetus may be given to the decaying energies of our social life. If this object, so desirable, can be obtained, the united effort of public action will be more than compensated. Camden would revive; or be best prepared to meet the adversities of gradual decline. In allusion to the virtues and talents of her offspring, of both sexes, educated under the high moral and mental culture of teachers, such as are found in the Female Seminary, and in the classical Academy, she could display with maternal fondness the triumphs of education; and in any reverse of circumstances, as did the mother of the Gracchi, could with justice, boast of her jewels.

## CIVIS.

**DEED.**—On the 3d inst. in Sumter District, Lieut. CAMPBELL, a Florida Volunteer. This severe, and insupportable visitation of Divine Providence, has deprived society of an inestimable young man, and involved in heartfelt grief and mourning, a numerous train of friends and acquaintances. After discharging his duty to his country, he lived long enough to reach home, and to receive for a few days, the benedictions and kindest attentions of his devoted relatives and friends—but, lo! he is gone—forever gone. But let us acquiesce with christian fortitude in the dispensations of God, however much we may deplore the bereavement. Throughout the campaign, he supported high health and spirits, but the day after he arrived home, he was attacked with fever, which in a short time, resulted fatally. His officer-like demeanor and patriotic spirit, no longer cheer and animate his associates in arms—Peace to his ashes.—[Com'd.]

## Commercial Record.

**COTTON.**—The season for this article is nearly over, and consequently there is little coming in—we observed a few bales in this week and give the sales, say 13 to 16 cents. It was quite ordinary—Prime would bring 17 cents.

## Dissolution of Copartnership.

The copartnership of Shannon and M'Dowall was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st inst. They tender to the public their grateful thanks for the favors they have received.

C. J. SHANNON.  
W. D. M'DOWALL.

June 18-21-1f

## NOTICE.

MR. GABRIEL S. GERALD will act as my lawful agent, during my absence from the state.

W. B. DANIELS.

June 18-21-1f

## JOCKEY CLUB.

The members of the Camden Jockey Club, are requested to meet at the Sumter Hotel at 3 o'clock P. M. in Camden on the 9th July next for the purpose of electing the necessary officers and forming such by-laws, rules and regulations as shall be advisable.

June 11-20-c

## Unavoidable Postponement.

**ADDITIONAL CHANCES.**  
**THE MAMMOTH LOTTERY.**  
CAPITALS,  
100 THOUSAND  
\$25,000

will be drawn July 21st, 1836.

The Managers after mature consideration, have postponed this large and splendid Lottery, in order to give a better opportunity to Southern adventurers in this scheme, fearing that if drawn in the month of June many would be disappointed.

Tickets are becoming very scarce, and we urge on all our Southern friends to take advantage of this postponement and forward their orders immediately.

We would also draw special attention to all the Virginia schemes for the month of July, which present a more splendid series of prizes than have yet been offered to our friends.

S. J. SYLVESTER, 130 Broadway N. Y.

**100,000**  
The most Brilliant Scheme  
**EVER DRAWN**  
In the United States.

Containing only 7140 tickets—36 No. Combination Lottery.

BY AUTHORITY OF CONGRESS.  
**ALEXANDRIA LOTTERY**  
For Internal Improvement in the District of Columbia.

## CLASS A.

To be drawn in the City of Washington, D. C. July 21, 1836.

D. S. Gregory & Co. [successors to Yates & McIntyre] Managers.  
Drawing superintended by a committee appointed by the Corporation.

## THE SCHEME

Is formed on the ternary combination of 36 numbers, making 7140 tickets, from which five Ballots will be drawn at the time and place advertised for the drawing making 10 prizes each having three of the drawn numbers on; 310 prizes each having two of the drawn numbers on; 2325 having one, only, of the drawn numbers on; and also 4495 tickets having none of drawn numbers on, being blanks.

1 prize of 100,000	100,000
1 " 25,000	25,000
1 " 10,000	10,000
1 " 7,500	7,500
1 " 5,000	5,000
1 " 4,000	4,000
1 " 2,950	2,950
2 " 2,000	2,000
31 " 1,500	3,000
31 " 500	15,000
31 " 300	9,300
31 " 200	6,200
31 " 100	3,100
31 " 90	2,790
31 " 80	2,480
31 " 70	2,170
93 " 60	5,580
465 " 50	23,250
465 " 40	18,600
465 " 30	13,950
930 " 25	23,250

2645 prizes  
4495 blanks } amount'g to \$ 256,600  
7140 tickets  
Tickets \$50 each—No shares. 12 in a pack

Virginia State Lottery,  
CLASS NO. 3

For the benefit of the town of Weelsburg. To be drawn at Alexandria, Saturday, July 16, 1836.

**CAPITALS,**  
**25,000 DOLLS.**  
25,000, 8,000, 5,000, 3,500, 2,322, 10 of 2,000; 10 of 1,500; 10 of 1,000; 10 of 500; 20 of 400; &c. &c. &c.

Tickets only 10 DOLLARS.  
Certificate of a package of 22 whole Tickets in this Magnificent Scheme may be had for \$120—Shares in proportion.

## MAMMOTH SCHEME

Virginia State Lottery,  
CLASS No. 4.

For the benefit of the town of Wheeling To be drawn at Alexandria, Va. Saturday, July 23, 1836.

**CAPITALS**  
**Thirty thousand Dolls.**  
30,000; 8,000; 4,000; 3,000; 2,500 1067 1-2 100 of 1,000; 10 of 500 20 of 300 84 of 200; &c.  
Tickets \$10, shares in proportion.

## DANCING SCHOOL

I. W. NUNN respectfully informs the citizens of Camden and its vicinity, that he will open a school on Monday the 27th inst. Lessons will be given from 8 to 12 at Kirkwood. He will also give lessons at Mrs. M'Adam's long room from 2 to 6 o'clock P. M. Lessons will be given to the night school immediately after tea. Parents and guardians that would patronize a school of this kind, are requested to send to one of those places at the above mentioned time.

June 18-21-1f

## New Copartnership.

THE undersigned having on the 1st inst associated themselves in the mercantile business, under the firm of Shannon, M'Gee & Co. respectfully solicit from the community and particularly the former customers of Shannon & M'Dowall, a continuance of the liberal patronage extended to that firm, and which it will be their endeavor to merit. Their stock of

**DRY GOODS,**  
**HARDWARE,**  
& Groceries,

is select and extensive, and will be disposed of on liberal terms.

C. J. SHANNON,  
H. T. M'GEE,  
W. D. M'DOWALL.

June 18-21-1f.  
The business of the late firm of Shannon & M'Dowall will be settled by the subscribers.

SHANNON, M'GEE & CO.

**LANDS**  
**FOR SALE**

THE subscriber offers for sale his valuable plantation, on the west side of the Wateree river, and on both sides of Sawney's Creek, about 10 miles above Camden, consisting of upwards of

**3,000 acres of land.**

There is about 400 acres of open land in the tract, and the balance well timbered with oak, hickory and pine. In the tract there is a large body of the best land, unclaimed. On the premises are all the necessary buildings, and in excellent repair for carrying on an extensive plantation, and supplied with the best water. On Sawney's Creek, running through the land, there are some valuable mill seats.

Any person desirous of purchasing, would do well to examine the premises, as a great bargain may be had, and on liberal terms.

ALLEN STEWART.

June 18-21-d

## NOTICE.

The subscriber with a view of closing the Books of D. & J. Clark; also the Books of J. G. Clark, respectfully informs those indebted on either of the above, that the books will be found at the store formerly occupied by Mr. Lemiere, that Mr. A. G. Willis is authorized to settle the same in my absence, by note or otherwise, or they will be placed in the event of default to comply, in the hands of a gentleman of the bar for collection. as the books must be closed.

J. G. CLARK

June 18-21-1f

## WANTED,

A good english teacher, for the Free School in Camden, to commence on the 2d Monday in July. Apply to C. J. SHANNON, Sec'y. and Treas'r. Comm'r. free Schools, K. D.

June 18.

## Camden Orphan Society

## ACADEMY.

THE subscriber, recently elected Teacher of this Institution, has arrived in Camden, and commenced the exercises of the school. The hours and rates of Tuition as formerly. If a long experience in the business of teaching, and numerous references of moral character, can insure the confidence of the community, he feels satisfied that he will obtain it.

MOSES HOLBROOK, M. D.

June 11-20-c

## FOR SALE,

A Light 2 horse Barouche (new) with harness complete. Also a pair of well broke young horses, if immediate application be made they can be purchased low.

Two road wagons with harness complete, and a first rate saddle horse. Apply at this office.

June 18-21-1f

## Notice

Is hereby given to all persons having private ditches or drains through their lots, to have the same immediately cleared out, or they will be proceeded against for such neglect. By order of the Town Council, J. W. LANG, Recorder.

June 18-21-c

## LOST.

BETWEEN Mrs. E. Turley's and Mr. Wm. Shields' a Bead Work Bag, which contained two notes of hand tied up in paper. One of the notes was drawn by Mrs. Elizabeth Turley, in favor of B. Williams, for four hundred and ninety eight dollars and sixty eight cents and endorsed by him to Miss Margaret Jenkins as her property. The other drawn by Rev. E. L. Fraser for one hundred and twenty dollars with interest from date, in favor of said Margaret Jenkins. All persons are hereby forewarned from taking or trading for said notes, as the drawers are notified not to pay them to any but the rightful owner. Whoever has found the bag and notes will confer a great favor by returning them to Miss Jenkins at the house of the subscriber.

WM. M. BRETT.

June 11-20-d

N. B.—Should a reward be required, a suitable reward will be paid upon delivery